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Takayama Haruna

恋 情 夜

君が照らす

恋のひかり



Around 10%
of Japan's
population are
homosexual.

Halve that,
and you get a
rough estimate
for the number
of gay men.



My
situation
is...

Now consider
the percentage
of people who
will eventually
find love and...



WELL, IT'S
NOT LIKE
I HAD MY
HOPE UP
ANYMORE

I'M
WALKING
OFF

...hopeless.



That's not
quite the
same as
a date!

OH,
A NEW
MOVIE.



I've tried
going to
the places
people
like me
go...

PLUS,
I DIDN'T
EVEN TRY TO
APPROACH
HIM



I can't be
bothered
with most
things



KS | CD-DVD RENTAL
TSUDAYA

And so,
I come here
every day
looking for
something
eventually.

After
work, I look
for a new
old book or
movie rental
store.

Just some
thing that
looks like it'll
kill time and
go home.



I always
get to
a point
where I
just give up

IT'S NOT
LIKE I WAS
TRYING TO
WATCH IT
ANYWAY.





A
PLANET-
ARIUM?



OOOOO



Well,
It's not
like I
mind .



THERE IS
ONE HERE, HUH
I'VE NEVER BEEN
INTERESTED SO I
ALWAYS WALK
RIGHT BY.



GOOD
EVENING
THAT'S ONE
ADULT
TICKET,
PHEW

EXCUSE
ME,

TICKET
FOR ONE
ADULT...

THIS
KIND
THING MIGHT
BE FUN
NOW AND
THEN



HOW
BROKE?

That's a word
I was hoping
to avoid,
particularly
today.

...

...contains the
star Alpha, which appears
in the southern
sky in April—

—in contrast
to its bright-
ness, its
name means
"the solitary
one!"

watched
the star die?

Here,
in a place
like this...

...

But,
What am I
doing?





I'm not gay
or anything!

HEY NO,
I-I-I DIDN'T
MEAN IT
'LIKE THAT'!





YOU KNOW,
THAT IT WAS
ACTUALLY
QUITE
INTEREST-
ING...



WELL, TO
BETTER



WELL, I'VE
WORKED
HERE FOR A
WHILE AND I
LIKE AS-
TRONOMY.

YOU
REALLY
KNOW WHAT
YOU'RE
TALKING
ABOUT.



UM?



I HOPE
YOU'LL
COME VISIT
AGAIN.

















It's the
perfect reason

to be
alone with
someone you
can't about.



It's not
about the
reason.



It's the
audience.
The only
reason.

A day
full of
them.



You'd want
to touch.



SP2 BLACK STAIRS



IT'S
IMPOSSIBLE.
HE ALREADY
SAID HE
WASN'T GAY,
RIGHT?

I'm getting scared
of myself



touch

But, maybe,
just a little...









??



Why was he so charming just then?!



ON THAT'S FINE.



EXCUSE ME FOR INTERRUPTING YOU WHILE YOU'RE BUSY.



ALREADY I'VE BEEN INFLUENCED.



YEAH, I'D SAY HE'S A ROMANTIC.



I'M SURE HE'S A ROMANTIC, BUT HE'S A ROMANTIC.



He's always so gentle and...

"STARS ARE STRANGE THINGS, AREN'T THEY?"

SOMEONE DISCOVERED
THEM... AND THEN, BY
SIMPLY CONNECTING
THEM INTO A SHAME,

THEY CREATE
A NAME AND
A REASON

I REBEL,
THEY'DE
JUST
KILLED MY
DAD AND
JUST, BUT...



...changed.

..The days
that I
couldn't
even hear
about ...

..Discovered
him...

After L



I know
that things
aren't going
well.



No, not
when I say
because I don't
want anything
anymore?



What if ...
I connected
with him? ..

..Would
somebody
excuse me
created?

... just
maybe...

Perhaps
if I tell him I
love him...

Thank you for your
patronage of Cosmo
Planetarium. As of ____
Cosmo Planetarium
has now closed down.

AFTER THE
CITY'S BUDGET
CUTS, WE LOST
OUR FINANCIAL
SUPPORT.

SORRY
FOR
KEEPING
QUIET
ABOUT
IT...





GOING AS
FAR AS TO
BUY THIS

I
REALLY
WANT AN
EGG.



The first
time you
want to ~~love~~
be with
the other
person.



Plump

IF
THAT PLACE
CLOSED, THE
RELATIONSHIP
OVER. GIVE UP
ALREADY!



FROM
THE STORY,
IT WAS A
LOVE THAT
COULD
NEVER BE.

IT WAS
JUST A
CUSTOMER/
EMPLOYEE
RELATIONSHIP
AFTER ALL.



STARS ARE STRANGE
THINGS, AREN'T THEY?

"SOMEBODY
DISCOVERED THEM
AND THEN, BY SOMEHOW
CONNECTING THEM
INTO A SHARP."





"I THOUGHT
YOU WOULD
BE A BIT
LONGER"

...discovered
him first...



"I-I-I
DIDN'T
KNOW IT
WAS HIM!"



...They made
a name and
a reputation



ADAMANT
GARY



...Isn't
that only
as far as
I went?!





